

**AMENDMENTS TO THE SPECIFICATION**

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**CROSS REFERENCE TO RELATED APPLICATIONS**

This application claims priority to Patent Cooperation Treaty (PCT) Application No. PCT/EP2004/007919 filed on July 15, 2004 entitled, "CARGO DECK FOR RECEIVING A LOAD IN THE CARGO HOLD OF AN AIRCRAFT," which claims priority to German Patent Application No. 103 32 798.3, filed July 18, 2003; which claims priority to German Patent Application No. 103 39 507.5, filed August 27, 2003; which claims priority to German Patent Application No. 103 39 508.3, filed August 27, 2003; which claims priority to German Patent Application No. 10 2004 011 163.4, filed March 8, 2004; which claims priority to German Patent Application No. 10 2004 011 164.2, filed March 8, 2004; all of the above disclosures are herein incorporated by reference in their entirety.